In re application of:

Armin CLAUS

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 3, 2004, which indicated that this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters and that prosecution as to the merits of this application has been closed, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.